

## **News from U.S. Rep. John Spratt (D-SC)**

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### **School District 3 Wins Grant for Foreign Language Pilot Program**

WASHINGTON – U.S. Rep. John Spratt (D-SC) announced today that Rock Hill School District 3 has been awarded a federal grant for a foreign language pilot program in grades 3-5.

The \$123,670 grant, from the U.S. Department of Education, will fund the three-year project for the current school year.

“District 3 will be a model for our state, teaming with our state’s Education Department and SCETV to teach elementary French, German, and Spanish,” said Spratt. “The videotaped lessons will include live interactive chats with a teacher and be distributed by SCTEV. At the end of the project, the tapes will be made available to any school district in the state that wants to start this kind of program.

“I was pleased to see District 3 selected to lead this project. It’s an honor,” Spratt said.

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